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THE POSITIVE CHRISTIAN SINGLES NEWSLETTER

JULY 1994 ACTIVITIES

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AM/ PM If time is underlined, children are welcome. Activities outside Valdosta may have Valdosta departure times.					1 8PM 50-PLUS SINGLES DANCE PARTY (AMERICAN LEGION)	2
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY! **1** Jean Coney **2** Ann Bagley **3** Ray Poole, Melba Weeks, Glynn Williams, Sarah Bagley, Gerard Jusseaume, Jo Ray **4** Catherine Fredrickson, Helen Lee, Bubba Spell **5** Linda Lashley **7** Frank Brooks, Margaret Yeomans **10** Shirley Wynn, Mamie Rentz, Jim Brantley **11** Teresa Richardson **14** Faye Moore, Ellsworth Brown **16** David Viar, Joey Wetherington **17** John Dennis, David Young **18** Gloria Peters, Debbie Lydick, Jill McCormick **19** Donna Herrin **20** Bonnie Chaney, Dilia Evans, Faye Aldridge, Michael Welton **22** Rob Hipps, Rebecca Long **23** Bill Bradley **24** Chris Bradford **25** Annette Ring **26** Larry Rowell **27** Annette Kelley, Bobbie Ridings, Christa Chaney, Doug Vickers, Phyllis Storey **29** George Ehling, Shirley West, Paul Paulk **30** John Thompson, Melissa Bradley **31** Marie Dixon, James Turner, Robbie Guthrie.

WHAT'S HOT! ***WHAT'S NEW!***

This new section of the newsletter thanks to Earl Daniel's suggestion.

Sunday Fellowship has been moved to Shoney's since Western Sizzlin's new format doesn't allow group seating.

We've instituted several changes at **Volleyball**, thanks to Dennis Barlow's and Benjy Towers' suggestions, to make it easier for newcomers to make friends. One is to take a "Friendship Break" from play at about 7:30PM.

The **Dance** is being discontinued!
Instead of it, there will be an additional **50-Plus Singles Dance Party** and a new **20's/30's/40's Dance Party**!
The **50-Plus Singles Dance Party** will be on the 1st and 3rd Friday nights (usually) and will keep its present format.
The **20's/30's/40's Dance Party** is for singles who are in their 20's, 30's, and 40's.
It will feature pop rock, classic rock, and country rock dance music; a clubhouse setting; and party games.
Special feature this month: Toni Ybarra and Jeanette Weaver will teach us several popular country line dances!

"I CAME THAT THEY MAY HAVE AND ENJOY LIFE, AND HAVE IT IN ABUNDANCE--TO THE FULL, TILL IT OVERFLOWS." *(JOHN 10:10) from THE AMPLIFIED NEW TESTAMENT*

July brings excitement with it as we have our first **20's/30's/40's Dance Party** and continue our abundance of other special programs--the **Single Parent Support Group** and the conclusion of the **Divorce Recovery Program.** Many singles in their 20's, 30's, and 40's have expressed a delight that we are a starting a dance specifically for this age group. There seems to be an unfulfilled need and we expect this dance will grow as the word gets out.

Advanced Volleyball has been dropped for now due to insufficient interest. Attendance at Tuesday and Thursday night co-ed **Volleyball** has increased with the beginning of summer as usual. Come even if you don't play but just want to make new friends; this is the largest weekly gathering of singles in their 20's, 30's, and 40's.

A reminder that we are on the sponsorship system for parties, trips, and other social activities. Sponsorship is easy. Just come up with an idea for an activity you would like for us to have, fill out the sponsorship form by the next newsletter deadline date, turn it in to me, reserve the location if necessary, and host the activity. Joint sponsorship is a way to make it even easier. Hint: So far this year nobody has sponsored a beach trip! With just a little interest and effort, we can have enjoyable activities to attend! See you at some in July!

With love for you and the abundant life, Idelle

HIGHLIGHTS OF LAST MONTH AND SPECIAL THANKS TO:

OUR JULY LEADERS

PCS COORDINATOR.....Idelle Dear.....242-3797

SHARING GROUPS
BIBLE STUDY.....Shelba Harrington....242-5591
Darrel Voegler.....242-6449
DIVORCE SUPPORT GROUP.....
SINGLE PARENT SUPPORT GROUP...Earl Daniels.....244-2919
SINGLES SUPPORT GROUP.....Bobbie Croft.....244-0903
SPIRITUAL ISSUES RAP SESSION..We need a volunteer!
WOMENS FELLOWSHIP.....Shelba Harrington....242-5591

ACTIVITIES
DAYTIME SINGLES.....Carolyn Beall.....247-4133
50-PLUS SINGLES DANCE PARTY...Mae Pope.....244-6925
NEWSLETTER ASSEMBLY.....Divorce Support Group
SUNDAY LUNCH & FELLOWSHIP.....Carolyn Beall.....247-4133
20'S/30'S/40'S DANCE PARTY....We need a volunteer!
VOLLEYBALL.....Dion Price.....263-5620

HOSTS & SPONSORS
BIBLE STUDY HOST.....Benny Mitcham.....245-1312
BOWLING SPONSOR.....Beth Jarvis.....241-8514
5TH SATURDAY SOCIAL SPONSOR...Benny Mitcham.....245-1312
VOLLEYBALL/SCRABBLE SPONSOR...Beth Jarvis.....241-8514

JUNE NEWSLETTER ASSEMBLERS Dennis Barlow, Benjy Towers, Earl Daniels, Paul Meece, Lester Skaggs, Jean Coney, and Cheryl Gooden.

FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTORS Doug Dunaway, Walt Shreve, Lyndon Rill, Ralph Murphine, and J.D. Hilliard.

MAY/JUNE HOSTS, SPONSORS, & LEADERS Shelba Harrington and Darrel Voegler for teaching Bible Study and Benny Mitcham for hosting it. Shelba Harrington for hosting Womens Fellowship. Beth Jarvis for sponsoring bowling. Softball and the Pool Party, sponsored by Frank Brooks and Beth Jarvis, respectively, were rained out. Al Hodges for sponsoring the Graduation Dinner.

JUNE DANCE The last dance of its kind--for all ages. The decrease in attendance over the last year is mostly the loss of singles in their 20's, 30's, and 40's. They quit coming as more and more singles over 50 began coming and the format changed to accommodate the change in age mix. There was more older, slower, and quieter music; there were more dance mixers rather than fun games; and the seating/atmosphere was more formal. Additionally, many singles in their 20's, 30's, and 40's just did not like being at a dance with so many singles over their age group. On the other hand, the singles over 50 generally complained about the music which was played for the younger singles. The declining attendance shows that a dance for all ages was not working. There were only 24 at this one. Thanks to Tommy Dorminey, Ralph Penny, Iris Brogdon, J.D. Hilliard, and Charles Murphy for helping set up and/or clean up.

50-PLUS SINGLES DANCE PARTY Given the above, it's certainly heartening to know we can have successful, wonderful dances! This one was! Notwithstanding the thunderstorms, we had a good crowd! Thanks to Earl Daniels and Bud for carrying the equipment and Betty Blair, Jesse Hickman, Mae Pope, Bill Falconer, Gene Swinford, Michael Hinst, and others for helping set up and/or clean up.

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES TO: Melissa Durrance who has become engaged to Joey Brown. Barbara Bramlett and Murray Harris who were married July 1 and have moved to Jacksonville. Judy Hamilton and Glenn Smith who were married June 26. Donna Hagerty who has completed her VSU studies and is returning to Jacksonville. Ron Brockman who has moved to Marietta. **GREETINGS FROM:** Zora Marquis who is moving to a neighboring Missouri town where her singles group is located but wishes she was back here with us! **OUR PRAYERS TO:** Frances Grantham in her fight with cancer.

SEND SOME CHEER! If you know of someone who has a special need or of an occasion where a personal touch would be appropriate, let us know. Perhaps bring a card we can sign or a gift we can donate to. Let us know how we can help.

WE NEED: 80's and 90's pop rock dance music hits.
IF YOU NEED: PRAYER Call Jackie Harris, 912-242-9883, to start our very effective prayer chain for you. Many answered prayers! **WIDOW(ER)S RECOVERY SERVICE** Make new friends who will understand your grief, support your healing, and ease your transition to single life. Free helpful handouts available. Ralph Murphine 912-244-0175. **MENTAL HEALTH 24-HOUR CRISIS LINE** 912-251-4357 (Greenleaf Center; free). **12-STEP SUPPORT GROUPS** ACOA (recovery from dysfunctional upbringing); Alcoholics, Narcotics, Codependents, or Overeaters Anonymous; Al-Anon or Alateen (for families of chemical dependents). All are free. Info: Sue Stokes 912-242-6194.

WELCOME NEW PARTICIPANTS! ADEL Kevin Sapp **ALMA** Marion Meeks **DOUGLAS** Mary Grant (welcome back!) **ENIGMA** Bruce Giddens **HAHIRA** Doris Millirons **JACKSONVILLE** Doug Dunaway **JASPER** Virginia Drew **LAKE PARK** Jill Banks **MADISON** Janie Watson, Annette Morris **MOULTRIE** Lynne Brooks **NASHVILLE** Debbie Luke **PAVO** Kay Walker **STATENVILLE** Wayne Vogenitz **TALLAHASSEE** Terry Flynn **VALDOSTA** Michael Welton, Vernal Williams, Shreile Allison, Annette Labahn, Tom Dembowski, Nolan Barnes, Joseph Robertson, Bubba Spell (welcome back!), Renee Ward, Rex Bullock.
POSITIVE CHRISTIAN COUPLES (PCC) (Those who wish to remain active after marriage.) None this month.

WHO ELSE IS FROM YOUR COMMUNITY? GAINESVILLE Velera Kerckel **JACKSONVILLE** Raymond Mobley, Doug Dunaway **JASPER** Edith Tyre, Warren Petty, Stella Gillespie, Marilyn Kreisher, Virginia Drew **JENNINGS** Linda Law, Sonja Hart, Helen Lee, Henry Roser, Gerard Jusseaume **LAKE BUTLER** David Young **LAKE CITY** Judy Sears, Morris McClure, Raymond Best, Sylvia Jackson **LEE** James Agner **LIVE OAK** Joe Banner, Harry Gray, Bonnie Kerklin, Bob Pacevich, Dave Clark, Martha Gaskins, Leyron Baker, Juanita Courtoy, Mildred Craft, Geraldine Hingson, Mike Maloy, Faye Musgrove, Johnnie Philman **MAYO** Kenny Hart Jr. **MCALPIN** Betty Elliott, Mary Parrish, Bill Anderson, Bill Falconer, Gene Swinford **O'BRIEN** Sarah Bagley **REDDICK** Gloria Dalton **STARKE** John Smith **WHITE SPRINGS** Theadore Jackson.

DEAR NEW SINGLE FRIEND, Let us introduce ourselves. Positive Christian Singles is a network of about 1000 South Georgia and North Florida singles of all ages and ethnic backgrounds who attend one of many different churches or none at all. We are a self-supporting organization with no dues which is run entirely by volunteers and depends on contributions to meet expenses. Our goal is to give you the opportunity to make new friends and have fun, fellowship, and personal growth. All singles--never married, separated, divorced, or widowed--are welcome to attend all activities; children are welcome at many activities. Just come join us! If you don't find what you are looking for on your first visit, give us more opportunity and you will; each of us has been in your place. If you need more information or just would like a friendly ear, call one of our leaders. **A Friendly Bunch!**

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER MAILING LIST POLICY Newsletters are mailed free to area singles. Our operating cost is about $7 per year per newsletter. Call 912-242-3797 to get on our mailing list, if you didn't receive yours, if you don't want or need to receive one anymore, or if you expect an address change (saves 35¢-$1 forwarding postage); please help us minimize our expense. If you move over 90 miles from Valdosta, you'll automatically be removed from our mailing list unless you ask to remain on it. Distant singles and inactive PCC may subscribe for $7 per year.

WHEN ARE CHILDREN WELCOME? If the time an activity begins is underlined, for example "6PM", children are welcome either to participate with the adults or to play nearby. Which of these depends on the nature of the activity. If the time is not underlined, children's presence is not advisable due to the adult nature of the activity.
MAP OF VALDOSTA LOCATIONS Activities in Valdosta have a code after "Valdosta" in the address which refers to a named location (single letter) or section (hyphenated code) on this map. Get a map at activities or by calling.

A MOMENT OF REFLECTION BY DR. BILL GOOCH: The journey of a human being is very precious to God because He created each one of us to do a unique task in the history of humanity. Let's be ourselves! If we are ourselves, we do not have time to control the life force of other humans who are on the journey with us. We will only have time for those who dare to embrace (or at least struggle to embrace) the meaning of fellowship among equals under the grace of God. Living life is not an easy task at best; Christian freedom implies reaching out and daring to grasp all the possibility God has given us--trying not to shut off the reservoir of His abundant love. Call me to discuss this further. Bill Gooch 912-242-7830. (Editor's Note: Reprinted from June 1988 Newsletter.)

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JULY WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

SUN **LUNCH** 12:30PM Captain T's, 2905 N. Ashley St., Valdosta "B-3". Choose $6.95 southern buffet or order from meat/seafood/sandwich/salad bar menu. Enjoy delicious food and friendly conversation. Ask cashier where our table is; if you're the first, get table for 6 and tell cashier it's for PCS so newcomers can find us. Come! **FELLOWSHIP** 7PM-9PM Shoney's, 1701 N. Ashley St., Valdosta "C-3". 15-40 singles enjoy dinner or just tea and talk! Come as you are; arrive anytime. Ask cashier where we're sitting.

TUE & THU **VOLLEYBALL** 6PM McKey Park, Burton St. off Patterson St., south of Valdosta Jr. HS, "U". Popular with singles in their 20's, 30's, and 40's but all ages participate as players or as observers! Join us for fun, exercise, excitement, and friendly coed competition. Novices welcome--we train! Older kids may play; playground for younger ones. Ideal for single parents! Observers socialize in the picnic shelter. Be there at about 7:30PM for our "Friendship Break" from play to get to meet singles you don't already know; we want to make newcomers feel welcome and make it easy for everyone to make new friends. Let's everyone be the first to smile and say hello to anyone we don't know! Rain cancellation; if it just sprinkles, we'll probably play. Come and bring all your friends. Volleyball is FUN, FUN, FUN!

WED **DAYTIME SINGLES: LUNCH** 12PM Join us for your lunch hour or for a leisurely lunch or coffee with friends. A super midweek fellowship for those who work nights or are retired. Ask cashier for our table; if you're the first, get table for 6 and tell the cashier it's for PCS so newcomers can find us. **7/6** Shoney's, 1701 N. Ashley St., Valdosta "C-3". **7/13** El Toreo Mexican Restaurant, corner N. Ashley St. and Park Ave., Valdosta "B-3". **7/20** Substation II, 2910 N. Ashley St., in the Marketplace, Valdosta "B-3". **7/27** Bynum's Diner, 2175 N. Ashley St., Valdosta "B-3".

WED **SINGLE PARENT SUPPORT GROUP** 6:30PM-8PM McKey Park, picnic shelter by tennis courts, Burton St. off Patterson St., south of Valdosta Jr. HS, "U". Male, female, custodial, non-custodial parents--all are encouraged to participate. Sample topics: work, social life, the other parent, establishing a secure and happy home, step-parenting, stepfamilies vs. first families, the "ex" factor, and relatives. Playground nearby for children. Rain cancellation. Call the facilitator, Earl Daniels, 912-244-2919, with any questions or suggestions. This is not parenting training or a formal therapy or counseling group. It's a group in which we can tell our stories, learn together, laugh together, and, if necessary, cry together and help each other through tough times. It focuses on the needs and concerns of the single parent and anyone who is considering marriage to a single parent.

THU **DIVORCE SUPPORT GROUP** 7:30PM Oak Terrace Apts. Clubhouse, 1639 E. Park Ave., Valdosta "E". PARK AWAY FROM APARTMENTS! If you're separated or divorced, our discussions can be helpful! Our overriding aim is healing and personal growth through mutual support and encouragement. Informative handouts are available. We're now doing a book study and divorce recovery program as follows: **7/7 & 7/21 BOOK STUDY OF BARBARA DEANGELIS' ARE YOU THE ONE FOR ME? THESE SESSIONS: BIGGEST MISTAKES IN THE BEGINNING OF A RELATIONSHIP** "...so much of the hurt, heartache, and disappointment we experience in love could be avoided if we just paid more attention at the beginning of the relationship." We'll discuss 3 mistakes: we give into lust blindness; we give in to material seduction; and we put commitment before compatibility. Book pages 140-153. We recommend that you buy this best seller; $5.99; at most bookstores. It's a valuable resource for helping you understand and improve your dating relationships. We're all learning a lot! **7/14 & 7/28 DIVORCE TO RECOVERY PROGRAM:** Seventh and eighth of a series of 8 sessions designed by the Cooperative Extension Service, University of Georgia, which sheds light on the stages of divorce, its effect on loved ones, and the process of starting over. Valuable for those who are separated or recently divorced or who haven't yet attended a divorce recovery workshop. Attendance at earlier sessions is not necessary for attending later sessions; catchup handouts are available. **7/14 FINANCIAL CONCERNS: FINANCIAL ASPECTS OF DIVORCE** Alimony and maintenance, child support, division of property, legal costs, and taxes. **7/28 FINANCIAL CONCERNS: CAN I MAKE IT ALONE FINANCIALLY** Steps to establish a financial plan, credit, networking, and resources.

THU **FOOD 'N FRIENDS** 9:30PM Shoney's, 1701 N. Ashley St., Valdosta "C-3". Whether or not you were at Divorce Support Group, join us here afterwards for friendship, laughter, and refreshments. Ask host for our table.

JULY UNIQUE ACTIVITIES

FRI 1 **50-PLUS SINGLES DANCE PARTY** 8PM American Legion Pool Clubhouse, Valdosta "H". Get on Inner Perimeter Road; go to Country Club Road; turn north; go 100 yards to barber shop; turn right. Clubhouse phone: 912-245-8536. What attracts men to this dance? The charming ladies! They're simpatico, pleasant to talk to, and dreams to dance with! Enjoy a delightful evening of ballroom, big band, 40's-50's, and country dance music favorites. Nondancers can socialize or learn to dance. Warm fellowship, new friends, fun, and hugs just begin to explain the pleasure and joy we experience. Dressy casual. $5 admission.* Free soft drinks. Optional: Bring your most bragged about homemade snacks. **7:30PM** Come help set up. *$2 extra to help pay $75 rent; Craig Center is free.

SAT 9 **20'S/30'S/40'S DANCE PARTY** 8PM Tall Tree Apartments Clubhouse, 420 Connell Rd., Valdosta "B-3". Follow the Information Center signs to find the clubhouse. Clubhouse phone: 912-244-9644. In your 20's, 30's, or 40's? Come shake it up and get down to the beat of the PCS Hit Music Machine featuring pop rock of the 80's-90's, classic rock and disco of the 60's-70's, and country rock. This month's special feature: Toni Ybarra and Jeanette Weaver will teach us several popular country line dances. Make new friends; perhaps meet a special someone; dance to "get close" music... Casual dress. Admission $5. Free soft drinks. Optional: Bring snacks to share. **6:30PM** Come help set up. (We anticipate that a few singles under 20 and over 50 will want to come. In fairness to all, just as singles under 50 have no say at the 50-Plus Singles Dance, singles under 20 or over 50 will have no say over the music, sound level, or activities at this dance.)

MON 11 **BIBLE STUDY: WALKING IN THE LIGHT** 7:30PM Benny Mitcham's office, 1101 Williams St., Valdosta "C-3". 912-245-1312. We'll study 1 John 1:5-2:2 and discuss the maintenance of transparent honesty in all our relationships. We're using the excellent Serendipity Support Group Bible study book, 12 Steps: The Path to Wholeness. While we study from a Christian perspective, no church background is assumed. Great discussions!

TUE 12 **AUGUST NEWSLETTER DEADLINE** Submit sponsorship forms and items for publication by today to get them included.

SAT 16 **VOLLEYBALL/SCRABBLE** 6:30PM McKey Park, Burton St. off Patterson St., south of Valdosta Jr. HS, "U". Volleyball for the athletically inclined; Scrabble for the intellectually oriented. Smart athletes, make up your own mind! Bring chips, munchies, and marshmallows to roast. Soft drinks provided; adults $1, kids under 12 50¢. Scrabble players, bring a set if you have one. A popular outing! Sponsor: Beth Jarvis 912-241-8514.

MON 18 **SINGLES SUPPORT GROUP: COMMUNICATING WITH THE OPPOSITE SEX** 7:30PM Spring Chase Apts. Clubhouse, Norman Dr., 100 yards south of St. Augustine Rd., I-75 Exit 5, "P". PARK AWAY FROM APARTMENTS! Share and learn from each other as we have another lively discussion on issues which are important to singles who are seriously dating.

FRI 22 **50-PLUS SINGLES DANCE PARTY** 8PM Craig Center, 1104 W.Gordon St., Valdosta "V".Dance room phone: 912-333-1817. Admission $3. Remaining description same as 7/1. **7:30PM** Come help set up for a wonderful evening!

SAT 23 **AUGUST NEWSLETTER ASSEMBLY** 4:30PM McMullen Southside Library, 527 Griffin Ave. (Hwy 94/Statenville Hwy), ½ mile east of US 41S, Valdosta "D-4". Meeting Room. Help Divorce Support Group volunteers put our newsletter together while enjoying sharing and making new friends. Adjacent playground, pond, and ducks for children watch them through the window. Come help and then join us for some fun when we're done--about 6:30PM.

MON 25 **BIBLE STUDY: FORGIVENESS** 7:30PM Same as 7/11 except for topic. God and others forgive us; we forgive others.

WED 27 **WOMENS FELLOWSHIP** 7:30PM Shelba Harrington's home, Park East Apts.,1635 E. Park Ave.,Apt. 6A, Valdosta "B-4" 912-242-5591. Dessert and girl talk!

FRI 29 **BOWLING** 7:30PM Valdosta Lanes, 1405 N. Lee St., "C-3". $2.25 per game including shoes. Novices and observers welcome. Bumper lanes for children upon request. Sponsor: Beth Jarvis 912-241-8514.

SAT 30 **5TH SATURDAY SOCIAL** 7PM Benny Mitcham's home, 208 W. Park Ave., between Patterson and Oak Streets, Valdosta "B-3". Park across street in Park Cranford Center dentists' lot; walk west toward Oak 2 houses to 2-story on right. Bring your favorite dish--vegetable, salad, meat, dessert, etc. We will eat and then socialize, dance, or whatever! Party at Benny's! Always a well-attended activity!

SINGLES RESOURCES: Single Parent Organizations Association for Children for Enforcement of Support 800-537-7072; Parents Without Partners 800-637-7974; Family Service America 800-221-2681; International Youth Council 800-637-7974; KIDSRIGHTS (publications) 800-892-5437. **Stepparenting Organizations** Active Parenting (programs) 800-825-0060; Stepfamily Assoc. of America 800-735-0329; Toughlove International 800-333-1069. **"Feeling Good About Myself" Educational Workshop for Children** Greenleaf Center. Ages 11-17 July 18-22; Ages 6-10 August 8-12. 8AM-2PM. $45. Call 800-445-8022 to register. Children will learn skills to assist them in developing healthy emotional attitudes.

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HOMEBODY COUNTRY BOY Loves kids. Divorced white Christian male, 40, 5'10", blue eyes, nonsmoker, nondrinker. Has no kids; is physically active, responsible, and very affectionate. Seeks female, nonsmoker/nondrinker, who enjoys a homelife, is conservative, loves Jesus, and who is marriage and family minded. (JU4M12)

MUSIC MAN Divorced Christian man, 55, 6'1". Considerate, caring, good sense of humor. Enjoys walking, TV, playing music. I am seeking a lady to care and share with me. Photo appreciated. (JU4M22)

FLORIDA RESIDENT Never married, college degree, seeks mate. My ideal girl is young blonde, blue-eyed. I am 47, 5'7", fit, trim, gentle, caring, considerate, trusting, fun, and financially and emotionally secure. (MY4M13)

WOMEN

SPICY SOUTHERN BELLE Attractive single white female, 24, 5'2", baby blue eyes, seeks relationship with someone who is 25 - 35, nonsmoker, and who enjoys old movies, music, bowling, water sports, Italian cooking, candlelight dinners, and much more! (JU4W12)

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